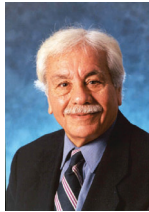


District Directors



Elmo Gonzalez,
Crawfordsville

Elmo Gonzalez joined INDOT in 1997 as the Crawfordsville district director. In his nine years prior to joining INDOT, Gonzalez was mayor of LaPorte.

As district director, Gonzalez supervises more than 560 employees in the district and five subdistrict offices and the maintenance of approximately 5,020 lane miles in west central Indiana.



Brad Davis,
Greenfield

Brad Davis oversees the Greenfield District, which includes Indianapolis.

Davis joined INDOT 24 years ago. He is a registered engineer with a bachelor's degree from Purdue and a MBA from Butler University.

As district director, Davis is responsible for more than 630 employees and the maintenance of approximately 4,900 lane miles and five subdistricts.



N. John Passey,
Fort Wayne

John Passey oversees the Fort Wayne District.

Passey is a professional engineer who held positions in the construction, permits, utilities/E.E.O. and maintenance sections of the district prior to being selected as district director in May 1989. He has been with INDOT for more than 40 years.

He is responsible for more than 565 employees, the maintenance of 5,000 lane miles and six subdistricts.



William Proud,
LaPorte

Bill Proud joined INDOT as a subdistrict manager in 1993, and was named LaPorte district director in 1995. He holds a degree in government and public administration from Indiana University.

As director, Proud oversees 650 people, approximately 5,300 lane miles, six subdistricts and the new ITS Freeway Management Center for the Borman Expressway.



Joe Hall,
Seymour

Joe Hall joined INDOT in 1994 as the Madison Subdistrict manager and was appointed to Seymour district director six months later. As district director, Hall supervises about 625 employees in the district and five subdistrict offices.

Hall's district is the largest geographically, encompassing 18 full counties and parts of seven others. The district maintains approximately 5,000 lane miles.



Jerry Russell,
Vincennes

Jerry Russell became the Vincennes district director in August 1997, after working as an inspector for the Indiana Professional Licensing Agency. Prior to that, he was the mayor of Bicknell.

The Vincennes District, which is located in the southwest corner of the state, includes more than 4,500 lane miles and six subdistricts, and employs 565 people.



Michael Puro,
Toll Road

After serving as the mayor of Goshen for nine years, Mike Puro accepted the position as director of the Indiana Toll Road in 1997. Puro holds a bachelor's degree in industrial management from Purdue University and a master's degree in business from Indiana University.

The Toll Road, which has no subdistricts, employs 500 full-time employees, 55 intermittent toll attendants and maintains 635 lane miles.